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NEW RIFLE.

An Official Test of the Krag-Jorgensen Army Rifle.

The Explosive Qualities of the Bullets Were Found to be Terrific.

The Death Rate Would Probably be Four Killed to One Wounded—Anything Grazed by a Bullet is Mutilated—A Test Made of the Shrapnel Shot.

FR. RILEY, Kas., June 22.—An official test of the new military rifle, the Krag-Jorgensen, was made on dead bodies at this post under the direction of Dr. J. D. Griffith, of Kansas City, member of the United States Association of Military Surgeons and chairman of the national committee on testing new guns, assisted by a dozen attending surgeons and photographers.

The object of the test was to find out the relative effects of the use of the Krag-Jorgensen gun, from a humanitarian point of view, as compared with other army rifles. This test has demonstrated to the minds of those who participated that the Krag-Jorgensen gun can not be called a humane gun.

At distances up to 1,000 yards the explosive quality of the Krag-Jorgensen bullet, and consequently the cruelty of its use, is terrific. The explosive quality is most marked in soft tissues and cavities, the brain and lung tissues being terribly torn and the heart burst. When anything is grazed by a bullet they are mutilated.

Blood vessels are cut, not torn, hence the death rate would be very great, four killed to one wounded probably.

Tendons are the only tissues in the body which seem to be turned aside by the ball.

A test of Shrapnel shot used by the artillery followed the Krag-Jorgensen test.

To do effective work the shell should burst 30 or 40 yards in front of the object aimed at. Some very effective wounds were obtained, and the opinion strengthened that the Shrapnel gun is to be the man killer of the future.

Hit by Lightning.

BRAZIL, Ind., June 22.—During the terrific storm here Sunday the barns of W. J. Snyder and Wm. H. Zeller, of Zeller & McClelland Coal Co., was struck by lightning and destroyed. The stable horse of Mr. Snyder was killed by lightning.

Instantly Killed.

ASHLAND, O., June 22.—Jesse Rickett, about 25 years old, was instantly killed and horribly mutilated by a freight at Nankin Saturday night.

ANOTHER TORNADO.

St. Louis Again Visited and About Seventy Houses Damaged—Several Minor Casualties.

ST. LOUIS, June 22.—A sharp reminder of the recent disastrous tornado visited this city at 3:30 o'clock Sunday afternoon. The weather was oppressively hot and the sky cloudless. From the same quarter that the great tornado came a mass of dark clouds swept across the city. The wind blew at a forty mile speed and rain fell in sheets. Many of the houses that were partly restored after the tornado were again damaged, but up to 9 p. m. no fatalities were reported. In Cabanne place, a fine residence section, the damage in the aggregate is greatest. R. J. Boekhoff, a grocer at Third and Carr streets, Saturday finished rebuilding the top floor of his three-story house destroyed by the former storm. Again it was blown down. The roof of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy passenger depot at Second and Carr streets, also just rebuilt, was partly torn off. About twenty telegraph poles were blown down and trees and bill boards were leveled. In all about seventy houses were damaged. The property loss is estimated at \$15,000. Panic seized the people in the track of the storm and wild rumors of death and destruction were on every tongue. Only fourteen minor casualties are reported.

REVOLUTIONARY OUTBREAK

Take Place Near the Salvador Frontier in Guatemala.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Guatemala has had another attempt at revolution. The state department received news of the affair on Thursday from the charge d'affaires at Guatemala City. He telegraphed that a revolutionary outbreak took place near the Salvador frontier, that "Chiquimila," the commander, was killed, and that several important people were arrested. Saturday night this laconic dispatch came:

"Revolution over."

Mr. Calvo, the Costa Rica minister here, has received a telegram from Mr. Arias, minister from Guatemala to the United States, saying that the outbreak was nothing more than the rebellion and flight of the prisoners in jail.

Bank President Found Guilty.

BEATRICE, Neb., June 21.—J. C. Williams, president of the failed bank at Blue Springs, who has been on trial here for the past week charged with falsifying the books of the bank, was found guilty, the jury bringing in a verdict early Sunday morning. Williams, who was out on bail, was remanded to the county jail by District Judge Letton. The bank had a large number of depositors and they lost nearly everything. The penalty in Nebraska for falsifying books is from one to ten years in the penitentiary.

THREE DEAD

And One Fatally Hurt the Result of a Crossing Accident.

The Train Was Going at the Rate of Sixty Miles an Hour.

The Victims Were on Their Way to a Picnic, Were Relatives and Prominent in County Affairs, One Being a Member of the Board of Freeholders.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., June 21.—The eight o'clock express from Philadelphia for this city, over the Pennsylvania railroad, struck a team and wagon at Absecon station, about eight miles from here, shortly after nine o'clock Sunday morning, and killed three men and fatally injured another. The men were bound on a picnic trip and had descended a steep hill leading to the depot without knowing the proximity of the train, which was speeding along at the rate of 60 miles an hour. They realized their danger when too late, as the momentum of the wagon carried the team out on the track where the vehicle was struck by the locomotive. The dead men who were all relatives, are George Huber and his son, Frederick Huber, and Henry Getzner, Joseph Sahle, son-in-law of Huber, is believed to be fatally injured, and he is now at the city hospital. The men belonged in Galloway township and were prominent in the county's affairs, Sahle being a member of the county board of freeholders.

DESPERADOES

Resist Arrest and the Leader is Killed and the Rest Jailed.

NORTH BRANCH, Minn., June 22.—The desperadoes who murdered Jacob Hay and Andrew Paul and attempted to kill Dr. Burnside Foster at Wyoming, Minn., Saturday, were rounded up Sunday morning. Bob Wilson, the leader of the gang being killed and the other two, James Cunningham and George Kelly captured after making a desperate resistance. Cunningham was badly wounded. The men have been committing robberies along the St. Paul and Duluth road for the past month. After robbing Dr. Foster and shooting Paul and Hay dead the bandits moved northward along the railroad to this point. Saturday night they robbed the house of ex-Mayor Frank Smith and started for Duluth. Half a mile from here they were met by several railroad men who had heard of the Wyoming killing. The railroaders ordered them to halt, but they only answered with shots from a revolver. The railroad men ran into North Branch and gave alarm. A posse of seventeen men was made up here and at once went in pursuit. Early Sunday morning the bandits were located in a tamarack swamp. The posse gradually drew in on the men in a circle. After several volleys had been exchanged, the posse ceased firing for a few minutes. Finally one of the men behind some logs raised his head.

A rifle shot rang out and the fellow fell back, shot through the brain. His companion soon ran up the white flag. Cunningham, a mere boy of 19, was found to be badly wounded about the head, a load of buckshot having struck him. The other man gave the name of George Kelly, but declined to talk further as to his identity. He admitted the killing at Wyoming, but said Bob Wilson, the dead man, did the shooting.

MAD DONS.

They Don't Like the Cuban Plank in the St. Louis Platform.

LONDON, June 22.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Madrid says that the platform adopted by the St. Louis convention has caused much anger in Spain and that a conflict with the United States is almost fixed. The Rothschilds have loaned the government 100,000,000 pesetas, and the money will be mostly applied to the purchase of warships. The government is responding to an undoubted national sentiment, trusting probably to receiving help from other powers.

Fatally Shot by a Neighbor.

LANCASTER, Ky., June 22.—Late Sunday afternoon Henderson Jones shot Wm. Cumley in the abdomen, fatally wounding him. The trouble occurred about six miles from town, and began over Jones telling a neighbor that Cumley had accused him (the neighbor) of milking his cows. Cumley denied saying it and Jones shot him. The sheriff is in search of Jones.

Negro Lynched by a Mob.

HARTZELL, Ala., June 22.—A Negro entered the house of Mr. Given Puckett, seized a nine-year-old girl, carried her to the woods and outraged her. The Negro was soon captured, hanged to a tree and his body riddled with bullets.

Verdict Against the L. & N.

MCKINNEY, Ky., June 22.—In the case of Cooly against the L. & N. Railroad Co., in the circuit court, at Stanford, the plaintiff was given a verdict for \$4,000. Young Cooly was killed by an overhead bridge while engaged as a brakeman on a freight train.

Ex-Secretary Briarhead Dead.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Zon Benjamin H. Bristow, the well known lawyer and former secretary of the treasury, died at his home in this city Monday of peritonitis.

International Sunday-School Convention. BOSTON, June 22.—The eighth triennial international Sunday-school convention will open in this city on Tuesday.

WHIST PLAYERS.

The Sixth Congress of the American League—A Distinction Accorded to Two Women.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Since Saturday morning the Oriental hotel, at Manhattan Beach, has been filling up with delegates and players arriving to the sixth congress of the American Whist league. The first contest begins Monday evening, when the Brooklyn trophy will be competed for by the auxiliary associations. About fifty clubs have entered for this match, which will be finished in one sitting.

On Tuesday morning at ten o'clock the whist congress will be convened. A business session will be held daily at that hour throughout the week. Nominations for officers for the coming year will be made on Tuesday, election will take place on Friday.



THEODORE SCHWARTZ, PRESIDENT OF THE LEAGUE.

The present officers of the league are:

President, Theodore Schwartz, Chicago; vice president, Walter H. Barney, of Providence; recording secretary, Bertram D. Kribben, St. Louis, Mo.; corresponding secretary, Robert H. Weems, Brooklyn; treasurer, Benjamin L. Richards, Rock Rapids, Ia.; directors, George H. Fish, of New York; P. J. Torney, of San Francisco; C. P. D. Hamilton, of Easton, Pa.; and Chas. E. Coffin, of Indianapolis.

The member spoken of as likely to be the next president of the league is Walter H. Barney, the present vice president. The chief matter to be brought up for discussion before the congress is the desirability of admitting women's whist clubs to membership in the league. This matter is likely to produce considerable argument before the congress.

An executive meeting of the officers of the whist league was held on Saturday. The only action of importance taken by them was the election of Mrs. Thomas H. Andrews, vice president of the whist club, and Mrs. William Henry Newbold, both of Philadelphia, as associate members of the league. This is a distinction that has been accorded to but few women.

TERRIBLY TORTURED.

The Fiendish Crime of Two Robbers Near Shelbyville, Ind.

SHELBYVILLE, Ind., June 22.—Milton Rolley, an aged pensioner, came to this city Saturday from his home, seven miles north of here, and drew \$600 from a bank with which to pay off the balance due on his home. About dusk Rolley started for home. Soon after arriving home two men drove up to his house, called the old man out and requested him to go at once to the bedside of his daughter, who, they said, had been taken suddenly sick and was dying. Rolley hurried to the barn for his rig, leaving his wife preparing to go with him. On opening his barn door he was knocked down with clubs. Staggering to his feet he tried to resist his assailant, but was again attacked from the rear by the second man. His skull was crushed and four ribs broken. When he was unconscious the ruffians went through his pockets without finding the booty.

They returned to the house and demanded that Mrs. Rolley inform them as to where the money was. She refused to do so and after beating her in vain they held her over a natural gas blaze until she could not endure the torture longer. Blackened and blistered and covered with bruises she was compelled to reveal the hiding place of the money. The \$570 remaining was found under the parlor carpet.

Rolley will die, and there is little chance of his wife's recovery. The robbers drove rapidly from Rolley's home toward this city. There is talk of bringing bloodhounds here from Anderson to run down the robbers.

Declared Untenable and Ridiculous.

LONDON, June 22.—A dispatch from Madrid to the Central News says that the Spanish government declares that claims for damages made by Americans in Cuba are mostly untenable and some of them ridiculous. For instance, one man demands \$25,000 because he suffered with nephritis while in prison in Cuba, and another asks for pecuniary damages because he was afflicted with small-pox.

Chinaman Sentenced to Deportation.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Judge Hagner, in the supreme court of the District of Columbia, sentenced Sing Yung, a Chinese laborer, to deportation. Sing Yung came to the United States from Africa on a schooner and failed to register as required by the Geary act.

Swallowed a Poisonous Bug.

HOPKINSVILLE, Ky., June 22.—James Marshall, aged 47, swallowed a poisonous bug while eating blackberries from the vines. He was seized with spasms and died within a few minutes.

Armenians Massacred.

LONDON, June 22.—A Constantinople dispatch to the Chronicle says that a fresh massacre of Armenians is reported to have occurred near Van. Sixty persons were killed.



A cream of tartar Baking Powder. Highest of all in leavening strength—Latest United States Government Food Report. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 WALL ST. N. Y.

BUCKEYE NEWS.

New and Interesting Happenings Within Our Borders.

A LEAKY BOAT.

Three of a Boating Party Drowned in the Muskingum River Near Zanesville.

ZANESVILLE, O., June 22.—A sad drowning accident occurred Sunday afternoon on the Muskingum river below this city. Grant Harvey, aged 33; Emma Collins, aged 21; A. O. Williams, aged 21, and Lulu Evans, aged 16, were out in a skiff in the middle of the river, when the boat began to fill with water. Young Williams sprang into the water, and, with his hands on the shore, when within 30 feet of the shore, the three occupants of the boat became panic stricken and jumped into the water. In their struggle the two young ladies seized Harvey and pulled him down with them, the three sinking immediately. Young Williams was picked up by another skiff in an exhausted condition.

DELEGATES-AT-LARGE.

Seven Candidates Will be Before the Democratic State Convention.

COLUMBUS, O., June 22.—The free silver democrats are now so confident of controlling the state convention here this week that they are already disputing over the honors. There are seven candidates for delegates at large. They are: John R. McLean, John W. Bookwalter, Allen W. Thurman, Gen. E. B. Finley, E. J. Blodgett, L. E. Volden and A. J. Warner. McLean and Bookwalter are practically agreed upon. The other five will contest for the two remaining places. Allen W. Thurman will probably be made chairman of the convention. The gold standard democrats concede that a large majority of the delegates to the state convention are in favor of free silver. The minority will contain some strong men, however, among them ex-Congressman Tom L. Johnson, Frank Hurd and John A. McMahon.

DISCOVERED IN TIME.

An Attempt to Wreck a Train on the Lake Shore Road Near Norwalk, O.

NORWALK, O., June 22.—An unsuccessful attempt to wreck westbound passenger train No. 37 on the Lake Shore road, due here at 5:57 Sunday night, was made at a bridge one mile west of the city. Three ties were placed in such a position that when struck by the engine they would tear up the track. Martin Ruff, a resident of Norwalk, discovered the obstruction and hastening to the depot gave the alarm. Three men who were found near the bridge were arrested and are now in jail. They refused to give their names.

Unique Portrait of McKinley.

CASTON, O., June 22.—By express Monday morning came a unique portrait of the candidate which he greatly prized. It was etched on a sheet of tin 13 by 30 inches in size, set in a frame of the same material, underneath which were the words: "This sheet of tin was rolled and coated by Gov. McKinley at the United States iron and tin plate works, on the occasion of the McKeesport centennial celebration, September 13, 1894."

Mysterious Killing.

HILLSBORO, O., June 22.—Thomas Mountain, a stonecutter, employed by the Driver company on the Presbyterian church, was Monday found dead between Midland City and Blanchester. Sunday he purchased a round-trip ticket to Cincinnati, intending to spend the day with his family, who reside there. Why he should go east on the main line or how he met his death is unknown.

Col. Coit Must Stand Trial.

COLUMBUS, O., June 22.—Attorney General Monnett has received word from Circleville that Judge Festus Walters has overruled the motion made under the legislative resolution to quash the indictments remaining in force in Fayette county growing out of the Washington Court House riots. Col. Coit will now have to stand trial on the remaining indictments.

Destructive Storm in Northwestern Ohio. LIMA, O., June 22.—A fierce storm of wind and rain visited this city Sunday evening doing thousands of dollars of damage. Hundreds of oil-well derricks were blown down, forests leveled and crops damaged. Telephone communication was destroyed and a number of houses struck by lightning.

Deputy Marshal Fatally Shot.

NORTH BALTIMORE, O., June 22.—Deputy Marshal Jesse Baker, of this place, was fatally shot early Sunday morning by two burglars whom he surprised at work on the safe in the post office. The murderers have not yet been located.

Arrival and Departure of Trains.

DEPART.—6:00 a. m., 10:40 a. m., 2:00 p. m., 4:55 p. m., 7:00 p. m., 11:25 p. m.
ARRIVE.—5:05 a. m., 8:10 a. m., 12:25 p. m., 4:55 p. m., 6:40 p. m., 8:55 p. m.

T. & O. C. Ex.
LEAVE.....2:10 p. m., 9:00 a. m., 4:00 a. m.
ARRIVE.....4:45, 12:15 p. m., 7:30 a. m.

C. & M.
LEAVE.....6:25 a. m., 3:55 p. m.
ARRIVE.....11:15 a. m., 7:05 p. m.

Z. & O.
LEAVE.....6:20 a. m., 2:40 p. m.
ARRIVE.....10:40 a. m., 5:55 p. m.

O. R. R. R. (Eastern Time)
SOUTH.....9:00 a. m., 9:07, 7:35 p. m.
NORTH.....7:02 a. m., 12:32, 4:17 p. m.

Actual Count

170

Boys' Knee Pant Suits

That we will close out by cutting the prices in two.

Prices we have been getting are marked in plain figures.

Any of these suits at half price.

\$1.00 Suits for 50 cts.,
\$2.00 Suits for \$1.00,
\$3.00 Suits \$1.50, Etc.

See some of them in show window, next to the Post Office.

STAR

Clothing House.

The President Goes on a Fishing Trip. WASHINGTON, June 22.—President Cleveland Sunday night accompanied by Secretary Carlisle and Dr. O'Reilly, left Washington for a brief fishing cruise along the south Atlantic coast. The party will probably spend two or three days on this excursion and shortly after their return Mr. Cleveland will be in readiness for his summer vacation at Gray Gables.

Will Abandon the Educational Bill. LONDON, June 22.—The Times Monday says that at the cabinet council held Saturday, it was decided to entirely abandon the educational bill, and to introduce in 1897 a short bill increasing the financial assistance given by the government to voluntary schools.

Consul McCaughan's Resignation Accepted. WASHINGTON, June 22.—As a result of the inspection of the United States consulates in Mexico by R. S. Clifton, chief of the consular bureau, Secretary Olney has accepted the resignation of Consul McCaughan at Durango.

Will Be Held in Indianapolis. INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 22.—Hon. T. G. Offutt, chairman of the executive committee, gave notice Sunday night that, as the result of correspondence, the next annual meeting of the Farmers' National congress would be held in this city, either in September or October next.

Why He Attempted Suicide. LOUISVILLE, Ky., June 22.—Alex. Harding, brother of Detective Harding, shot himself in the abdomen Monday morning. He drove his wife from home Sunday night and Monday morning she sold a stove which belonged to him. Upon hearing this Harding made the attempt upon his life. He will die.

Trouble in the English Cabinet. LONDON, June 22.—A hastily summoned cabinet council met at the foreign office Monday forenoon and sat for an hour. It is rumored that Rt. Hon. A. J. Balfour, first lord of the treasury, and the government leader in the house of commons, has resigned from the cabinet.

Wheat Not Half a Crop. WINCHESTER, O., June 22.—Wheat harvesting began in this section Monday. Reports from adjoining counties indicate that the crop will not average one-half of that of last year.

"Wet" Victorious at Beach City. MASSILLON, O., June 22.—Beach City citizens' local option election resulted in a "wet" victory—63 to 73. Thirty-six women tried to vote, but were refused the privilege.

OUR GREAT

UNLOADING SALE!

Grand Special Sale to Unload

Men's Fine \$13.50 and \$15.00 Suits

—THIS WEEK—

Only \$10.00.

Composed of Irish Cheviots, Homespuns, Imported Cheviots in Plaids and Light Effects, Thibets, Clay Worsteds and Serges.

In our Children's Department we will make a Special Sale for this week of

Children's "Junior," "Middy" and "Reefer Suits."

Sizes 3 to 8 years, comprising all the latest novelties at 2.75, 3.25, 3.50.

Former Price \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00.

Children's Waists with large Sailor Collars, 50 and 75c.

Worth \$1.00 and 1.50.

Men's Negligee Shirts.

Just received a new line in the newest, brightest patterns, fast colors, 50 cts.

THE "BUCKEYE,"

Clothiers, Hatters and Furnishers,

Cor. Front and Butler sts.,

MARIETTA, OHIO.

Old P. O. Building